

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
Officers
OF THE
Town of West Rutland
VERMONT

For the Year Ending December 31st

1964

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WARNING

The legal voters of the Town of West Rutland, in the County of Rutland and State of Vermont, are hereby warned to meet at the Town Hall in said Town on the first Tuesday of March, being the 2nd day of March, A. D. 1965 at 10 o'clock A. M. to act on the following business:

1. To elect all necessary Town Officers as required by law.
2. To vote on the following questions:
 - (a) Shall license for the sale of Malt and Vinous beverages be granted in this Town?
 - (b) Shall spirituous liquors be sold in this Town?
3. To act upon the Annual Reports of the Town Officers.
4. Shall the Town of West Rutland authorize the Selectmen to employ a Town Manager. (By petition). This article **MUST BE VOTED BY BALLOT**.
5. Shall the Town vote a tax on the Grand List for expense on selected roads and cost of maintaining and repairing Town Highways, and if so, how much?
6. Shall the Town vote a tax on the Grand List to pay debts and defray expenses of the Town, and if so, how much?
7. Shall the Town vote a tax on the Grand List to be levied over a four year period to defray the deficit? If so, how much?
8. Shall the Town vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money to meet the demands of current expenses of the Town until funds can be realized from taxes?
9. Shall the Town vote a tax on the Grand List for Library Expenses, and if so, how much?
10. Shall the Town vote a tax on the Grand List for Recreation of the Town children, and if so, how much?
11. Shall the Town vote to appropriate the sum of \$100.00 for payment of expenses for the proper observance of Memorial Day?
12. Shall the Town vote to exempt from taxes, for a period of ten years, **ALL AND ANY NEW WORKSHOPS, FACTORIES and MILLS** in same, whose construction will begin A. D. 1965, and will employ 25 or more persons who are taxpayers in West Rutland?
13. Shall the Town vote to exempt from taxes, for a period of three years from date of this Meeting, **ALL BUILDINGS** whose construction will begin A. D. 1965, and **USED AND OCCUPIED EXCLUSIVELY AS A HOME BY THE ORIGINAL OWNER(S)** and appraised by the listers at a market value **EXCLUSIVE** of land, at **NOT MORE** than \$25,000.00 and **NOT LESS** than \$5,000.00. Said **EXEMPTION** being limited to **ONE TRANSACTION** within any 10 year period.
14. Shall the Town vote to pay current taxes direct to the Town Treasurer, and if so, on what dates and whether or not a discount shall be allowed?
15. Shall the Town vote a tax of ten cents on the dollar of the Grand List for a sidewalk construction?
16. Shall the Town vote to authorize the Town Manager to act as collector of delinquent taxes?
17. To transact any other business deemed proper, not involving the expenditure of Town Funds or any business acted upon in the preceding articles.

Ballot boxes for the election of Town Officers will be open at 10 o'clock A. M. and close at 6 o'clock P. M. Taxpayers business meeting for 1965 to act on Articles 5 through 17 will be held at 8 o'clock P. M.

PHILIP M. BARTLETT,
EDWARD M. FABIAN,
FRANK J. BRUNO,
Selectmen.

TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT WARNING

The legal voters of the Town School District of West Rutland, in the County of Rutland and State of Vermont, are hereby warned to meet at the Town Hall in said Town on the first Tuesday of March, being the 2nd day of March, A. D. 1965 at 10 o'clock A. M. to act on the following business:

1. To elect all Town School District Officers as required by law.
2. To see if the Town School District will vote a tax on the Grand List to pay debts and defray the expenses of the Town School District, and if so, how much.
3. To see if the Town School District will vote a tax of five cents on the Grand List to be used SOLELY for Athletic purposes.
4. To see if the Town School District will authorize the Board of School Directors, or other proper officers, to borrow money to meet the demands of the current expenses of the Town School District until funds can be realized from current taxes.
5. Shall the Town School District of West Rutland authorize the School Directors to employ a woman physical education instructor for approximately one-half time, to teach all pupils in grades one through six, plus all girls in grades seven through twelve? An affirmative vote will authorize an additional tax of eleven cents (\$.11) on the Grand List.
6. Shall the Town School District of West Rutland authorize the School Directors to renovate the girls' locker and shower rooms and purchase and install permanently lockers and locker baskets according to plans to be approved by the State Department of Education, at a cost of \$2,300 (Two Thousand Three Hundred Dollars) for the purpose of establishing a girls physical education program, and thereby make the Town School District eligible for a State Aid Award of 30% of the cost? An affirmative vote will authorize an additional tax of ten cents (\$.10) on the Grant List.
7. To act upon any other Town School District business which may legally come before the meeting.

PHILIP M. BARTLETT,
EDWARD M. FABIAN,
FRANK J. BRUNO,
Selectmen.

Dated at West Rutland, Vermont
February 10, 1965.

The Business Meeting to act on Articles 2 through 7 will immediately follow the Business Meeting of the Town.

TOWN OFFICERS

Moderator—John L. Battles

Town Clerk—Victor A. Sevigny

Town Treasurer—Stanley Brzoza

Selectmen—Phillip Bartlett, Frank Bruno, Edward Fabian

School Directors—F. J. Smolinski, Richard Welch, Norbert
Sevigny

Road Commissioner—G. W. Megrath, Town Manager

Listers—John L. Battles, Harry Hall, Jacob Pawlusiak

Auditors—Mary St. Louis, John Orzell, J. L. Battles, James L.
Young

First Constable—Stanley Pietryka

Second Constable—Wilbrod Trepanier.

Town Law Agent—Adam Krempa

Tree Warden—Town Manager

Collector of Taxes—Gene Wasik

Trustee of Public Monies—E. H. Bishop.

Overseer of the Poor—Town Manager

TOWN MANAGER'S REPORT

To the Selectmen and taxpayers of West Rutland:

The following is the first report under the Town Manager form of government which has been in existence for only eight months. This is hardly a sufficient period to accurately evaluate the merit of the Town Manager system.

The town ended the year with a \$71,477.49 deficit compared to \$48,729.97 as of December 31, 1963. This increased deficit was not incurred by the Town Manager but is due mainly to one single welfare hospital and medical expense of \$4,536.45 plus \$18,467.73 in old bills which were outstanding when I took office and which did not show up in the last annual report. This latter figure includes the Clarendon Avenue project, road work, Civil Defense siren, hospital bills and legal fees for 1963. The highway tax for the year amounted to approximately \$13,750. However, prior to my appointment, during the first four months of 1964, the following had already been spent: Roads, \$18,515.22; General Funds, \$8,173.01; welfare, \$1,980.54. This represents \$28,668.77 of approximately \$57,000 which was voted at the March Meeting for highways and general fund for the entire year. Also, there was no appropriation voted for the Town Manager's salary and expenses.

Approximately \$6,800 of the special tax for the Clarendon Avenue project had been collected and had been spent in the General Fund before the Town Manager took office. Therefore, during 1964 it was necessary to borrow the full amount of the project, \$14,258.57. The 1964 and 1965 special tax will help to offset this borrowing, but there is still approximately \$6,800 to be made up.

In cooperation with the Selectmen, for the first time a budget of expenses and receipts has been prepared for 1965 so that everyone may know how the tax money is to be spent, and every effort will be made to keep within this budget. As of the end of the year most old and current accounts are paid in full, and I expect the town will now operate on a pay-as-you-go basis unless some unexpected emergency should arise.

The law states that the extent of borrowing of a town shall not exceed 90% of the total tax money received for all purposes. During 1964 this town's borrowings almost reached the limit allowed. Therefore, with the Clarendon Avenue special tax ending this year, it is recommended that a tax be levied over a four

year period to help defray the deficit so that the town may operate in a sound business-like financial manner.

A Town Farm Development Account and an Equipment Account have been established so that monies received in these accounts will be used for their benefit. During my term a GMC dump truck, an International 4-wheel drive truck and an Allis Chalmers loader have been purchased, with the expectation that equipment will pay for itself over a period of time instead of being rented as in the past, and all necessary work will be accomplished more economically. In comparison with \$2,255 paid for rental of a patrol truck during the first four months of 1964, the Equipment Account has repaid the General Fund \$1,600 for the cost of the GMC plus all equipment repairs and expenses since May 1st, and a cash balance of \$313.84 remains as of the end of the year.

In the Town Farm Development, a surveyor was hired to lay out 31 additional lots. The roads for these lots have been bulldozed and are ready for gravel. Some culverts have been installed. Considerable interest had been shown in lots in this development, and the Town Manager has had many inquiries. After the foregoing work had been completed, there was a balance for 1964 to be transferred into the Town Farm Development Account of \$1,680.00.

The traffic light has been improved to make the red light more visible to better control the traffic on the main streets.

West Rutland Town Forest

With the recent classification of the Bove Lot—20 acres and the Carlson Lot—70 acres, the Town of West Rutland now has a total of 290 acres of Municipal Forest land.

During the last year, 8 acres of timber stand improvement work was completed and 1 acre of open land was planted by the local Boy Scout Troop in Block #1 (Town Farm Lot).

A gas pump has been installed at the Town Garage as a savings and convenience. Presently the furnace at the Town Garage is using up the soft coal which was left over at the town hall. However, eventually this furnace should be converted to oil. All street lights have been replaced with new mercury lights. I was able to purchase salt for winter use delivered to our yard at a saving of \$1.65 a ton in addition to saving trucking and manpower expense.

The town highway checking account will be discontinued as of December 31, 1964. Winter maintenance will be included in

the road account so that taxpayers may better understand the entire road expense for the year. It is suggested that 50c be deducted from the present General Fund tax of \$1.90 and added to the present road tax, thereby making a total highway tax of \$1.10 and providing \$12,000 for winter maintenance work. For 1965 a General Fund tax of \$1.70 is recommended.

Road conditions have been improved by removing some boulders and ledge, repairing some existing culverts, repairing and resurfacing some State Aid and town highways. This work must continue if we are to preserve our present hard surfaced roads. The Town Manager has worked with one full time man plus part time help when necessary.

The Whipple Hollow Road project will be continued and a bridge project will be completed if town funds are available to match State money. It is expected that Sheldon Avenue will be repaired and some other town highways will be resurfaced this year. Several of the culverts repaired will have to be replaced gradually over a period of time.

With town equipment the sidewalk on the east side of Barnes Street was rebuilt and sidewalks were resurfaced on both sides of the west end of Main Street, Elm Street and the west end of Ross Street. There are many sidewalks that need work done including Pleasant, Church, Blanchard, Smith & Brown and Marble Streets.

By placing the bulldozing and gravel work at the town dump on bids, the dump expense (exclusive of caretaker's salary) for the year was \$488.42 compared to \$1,224.58 the previous year. The churches, schools and skating rink are being plowed by town equipment.

Through the efforts of the Town Manager, West Rutland has been selected as one of five towns in the State to participate in a research grant program sponsored by UVM to provide small town governments with a uniform system of IBM bookkeeping. The Town Manager has also learned that federal matching funds will be available for outdoor recreation planning, acquisition and development. This should be of great assistance to our local recreation program.

The following suggestions are made:

- (1) To combat the high cost of operating the town hall, that the fuel oil supply be put up for bids;
- (2) That the Town Manager collect delinquent taxes so that the interest and penalties will go into the General Fund;

(3) That an ordinance be adopted to dispose of condemned and partially burned buildings within the town;

(4) That an attempt to be made to prevent speeding and roadside trash dumping on town highways;

(5) That the present 2% discount on current taxes be eliminated or 15c be added to the recommended General Fund tax of \$1.70. Otherwise the \$3,500 refunded to taxpayers in discounts will curtail the services rendered by the General Fund by that amount;

(6) That minor repairs be made to the town garage to make it more weatherproof for equipment.

Anyone familiar with business operations knows that it takes time to affect major changes. However, the Town Manager is optimistic about West Rutland's future, and thanks the Selectmen and all of the taxpayers for their help and cooperation during the past eight months.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE W. MEGRATH,
Town Manager

AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Taxpayers of West Rutland, Vermont

The Balance Sheets of the Town of West Rutland and other related statements of Cash Receipts and Disbursements, as of December 31, 1964, have been examined by the Board of Auditors.

The Taxes levied for the year 1964 and prior years uncollected taxes were accounted for by collections, or taxes, in the collector's hands by the end of the year. Payments by the State of Vermont to the Town, as confirmed by the Auditor of Accounts, were accounted for.

Disbursement orders were examined and found correct.

The Balance Sheet and related statements of Cash Receipts and Disbursements present the position of the Town as of December 31, 1964 and transactions of the year then ending.

After careful examination of the accounts of the various Town Officers, we recommend the Overall Budget as given in this report for the coming year.

We recommend an ear-marked tax, agreeable to the voters, for retirement of the present debt.

The voters of the Town are faced with increasing the General or Highway tax rates or curtailing present existing services.

MARY ST. LOUIS,

JOHN ORZELL,

JAMES L. YOUNG,

Auditors

**OVERALL BUDGET TO BE MET BY 1965
TOWN AND SCHOOL TAXES**

Estimated 1965 Grand List—\$24,000.00	Estimated Tax Rate	Estimated Requirements
School	\$5.00	\$120,000.00
Highway	1.10	26,400.00
Library	.15	3,600.00
Recreation	.10	2,400.00
Athletic	.05	1,200.00
Sidewalks	.10	1,400.00
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TOTAL OTHER THAN GENERAL	6.50	\$156,000.00
*General and Poor	1.70	40,800.00
Special Road	.15	3,600.00
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GRAND TOTALS—Estimated	\$8.35	\$200,400.00
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*ABOVE GENERAL TAX MUST ABSORB ALL DISCOUNTS

SELECTMEN'S PROPOSED BUDGET FOR 1965

RECEIPTS

	Actual 1964	Anticipated 1965
Cash on Hand January 1	\$2,031.48	\$197.12
Civil Defense	1,103.00	500.00
Delinquent Taxes (previous year)	709.00	1,500.00
Dog Licenses	492.75	490.00
Junk Yard License	25.00	25.00
Liquor Licenses	562.50	562.50
Miscellaneous	335.71	100.00
Town Hall Rental	1,922.00	1,920.00
Tree Work	285.00	75.00
Town Farm	4,151.00	.....
State of Vermont:		
Winter Maintenance	1,269.75	
Roads	10,748.90	
Welfare	3,475.31	900.00
Federal A. C. P.	106.40	
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		\$6,269.62

EXPENDITURES

Appropriations:		
Memorial Day Observance	\$200.00	\$100.00
Pine Blister Rust Control		200.00
Assessments:		
State Aid Patrol	144.80	144.80
State Highway Assessment	805.50	805.50
Unpaid Old Age Assistance	220.00	200.00
State Agricultural Tax	469.50	469.50
Social Security Taxes	357.80	400.00
County Tax	800.24	800.24
Cemeteries	45.00	50.00
Civil Defense	1,836.75	48.00
Delinquent Taxes as of Jan. 1.	1,487.12	2,574.43
Election Expenses	1,095.33	700.00
Equipment Supplies & Repairs	597.59	
Equipment—G. M. C. Truck	1,600.00	

	Actual 1964	Anticipated 1965
Interest	\$1,767.04	\$1,800.00
Miscellaneous	1,907.75	1,900.00
Office Supplies	669.43	1,000.00
Police Service	93.00	100.00
Street & Traffic Lights	6,290.31	8,000.00
Town Officers	8,989.17	12,000.00
Town Buildings	104.93	200.00
Town Hall	4,346.31	4,500.00
Town Dump	1,495.42	1,300.00
Town Farm Account	2,469.25	
Tree and Brook work	990.68	500.00
Welfare Department	13,691.56	10,000.00
Winter Maintenance:		
Gen. Highway Orders 1/1/64 to 4/10/64	4,955.82	
Advance to Highway Dept. for Winter work	11,000.00	
Highways and Bridges	64.40	
Reimbursements to Highway Account	4,004.31	
U. S. 4 Route work	502.15	
Town Highways & State Road Re- treatment	4,845.16	
State of Vt. Clarendon Ave. Project	14,258.57	
		<hr/> \$47,792.47

ANTICIPATED

EXPENSES	\$47,792.47
RECEIPTS	6,269.62

To be raised by taxes \$41,522.80

PROPOSED TAX RATE—GENERAL FUND \$1.70

Based on \$24,000.00 Grand List to raise \$40,800.00

TOWN OF WEST RUTLAND
Year Ending December 31, 1964

TAX STATEMENT

Town Grand List	\$23,043.63
Fire Grand List	13,389.10
Special Fire Grand List	869.35

TOWN TAX RATES		TAXES LEVIED
General	\$1.90	\$43,782.10
Recreation	.10	2,304.36
Clarendon Avenue (special)	.15	3,456.54
Sidwalk	.10	2,304.36
School	4.70	92,164.52
Athletic	.05	1,152.18
Highway	.60	13,826.18
Library	.15	3,456.55
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	7.05	\$162,456.79
County	.035	806.53
Fire—Regular	.70	9,372.37
Fire—Special	2.10	1,825.64
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	\$9.85	\$174,461.33
Old Age Assistance		5,815.00
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		<u>\$180,276.33</u>

TAXES LEVIED		
Property	\$165,445.43	
Poll	9,015.90	
Old Age Asst.	5,815.00	
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	\$180,276.33	<u>\$180,276.33</u>

ACCOUNTED FOR AS FOLLOWS:

Collected	\$173,225.67	
Dist. Allowed	3,392.83	
To Collectors	3,657.83	
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	\$180,276.33	<u>\$180,276.33</u>

DIVISION OF COLLECTIONS:

	Total	Net Trans. to each Account
School	\$92,174.52	\$92,174.52
Highway	13,826.18	13,826.18
Recreation	2,304.36	2,304.36
Library	3,456.55	3,456.55
Athletic	1,152.18	1,152.18
Fire Dist. less Dist. and Collection Fees	11,198.01	10,862.07
Old Age Assistance	5,815.00	5,233.50
	<u>\$129,926.80</u>	<u>\$129,009.36</u>
Balance of Collections including County Tax remain in General Account.		<u>\$ 44,216.31</u>
Total Tax Collected		<u>\$173,225.67</u>

GENERAL ABSORBS ENTIRE DISCOUNT OF ALL
UNCOLLECTED TAXES

TOWN OF WEST RUTLAND AND SCHOOL DISTRICT
Statement of Cash Receipts and Disbursements for year ending December 31, 1964

	General	Recreation	Highway	School	Athletic
Cash Balance January 1, 1964	\$2,031.48	\$1,159.05	\$ 575.48	\$14,084.02	\$ 6.09
Receipts:					
Current Taxes	42,343.00	2,304.36	13,826.18	92,166.58	1,152.18
Balance 1963 taxes				25,108.75	
Partial Loan Payment				15,000.00	
BORROWINGS					
Proctor Trust Co.	110,000.00				
W. R. School District	40,000.00			20,000.00	
Delinquent Taxes	3,661.65				
GENERAL FUND ALLOWANCE—inc.					
Reimbursement from sale			10,173.82		
STATE TREASURER					
Aid to Education				25,370.00	
Winter Maintenance	1,621.50				
Highway—State Aid	9,848.28				
Forest Fire	21.75				
Civil Defense Siren	1,103.00				
A. C. Program	106.40				
RENTALS					
Green Mt. Corp.	\$1,800.00				
S. Brzoza	75.00				
Union	47.00				
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	1,922.00				
J. Orzell—lease	1.00				
W. R. Highway Equipment Rental	2,172.00				
Sidewalk Equipment Rental	130.90				

REFUNDS

State Equipment Co.	42.09
Diamond Nat'l. Corp. Overpayment	
Selectmen—Poor Refunds	3,475.31
Selectmen—Paving, M. Larkin \$4.24	
Selectmen—Paving, S. E. Smith	
Co.	19.95

96.21

	24.20
Adam Krempa—Vote Recount	2.00
W. R. School Dist. Road Patching	531.42
Mumford-Sevigny, Ins. T. F. Barn	46.36
Cutting Trees—M. Kenny	19.00
N. E. T. & T.	133.33
C. V. Pub. Service	133.33
N. E. T. & T., phone booth	69.27
W. R. Highway Dept., truck rental	150.00
W. R. Highway, purchase of truck	1,600.00
W. R. School Dist., insurance	152.71

LICENSES

Selectmen—Beer & Liquor	562.50
Town Clerk—Dog Licenses	491.75
Junk Yard	25.00
Sale of Culverts	20.00
Plow and Pump	100.00
Loam	1.00
W. R. Fire Dist., overadvance	190.35
W. R. School Dist., paving	14.90
W. R. Highway Acct., overadvancement	637.48
Unlisted Polls	49.87

TUTORION

Castleton	\$2,727.20
Fair Haven	3,600.00
Tinmouth	2,752.72
Clarendon	4,179.36
Ira	5,758.30

19,017.58

	General	Recreation	Highway	School	Athletic
Donation from P. T. A.				\$100.10	
Hospital Insurance—refunds				539.22	
Prize Speaking				42.50	
Transportation				66.50	
Payment 1963 Social Security				906.49	
Recreation Dept.—sand			\$22.55		
Mrs. A. Kurant—installing water line			78.15		
General Acct.:					
Reimbursement for Road work			4,506.46		
Use of equipment			901.00		
Use of Equipment			378.75		
Town Farm Sale of Barn	\$1.00				
TOWN FARM DEVELOPMENT					
A. Socinski, part payment	\$400.00				
F. Smolinski	1,250.00				
G. Fredette	1,250.00				
F. Panarello	1,250.00				
	4,150.00				
Taxes & Water Rents—Collected					
and Transferred:					
Old Age Assistance	5,184.00				
County Tax	806.53				
Highway Tax	13,826.18				
Water Rents	11,000.00				
Fire Taxes	11,869.62				
Library Tax	4,456.58				
Athletic	1,152.18				
Recreation	2,304.36				
School				92,166.58	
Disbursements:					
Selectmen's Orders Drawn	\$87,971.27				
Old Age Assistance	5,184.00				
County Tax	806.53				

Poor Orders Drawn	13,587.25				
Highway	10,173.82				
LOAN PAYMENTS					
Proctor Trust Co.	90,000.00				
School Dist. 1963	25,108.75				
1964	15,000.00				
Water Rents	11,000.00				
Fire Dist. Taxes	11,869.62				
Library	4,456.26				
Recreation	2,304.36				
School	92,166.58				
Athletic	1,152.18				
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	\$368,476.26	\$2,837.21	\$30,148.55	\$202,035.72	\$1,454.70
OPENING BALANCE PLUS RECEIPTS	\$368,047.18	\$3,463.41	\$30,462.39	\$212,497.95	\$1,158.70
LESS DISBURSEMENTS	\$368,476.26	\$2,837.21	\$30,148.55	\$202,035.77	\$1,454.70
CASH BALANCE, Jan. 1, 1965	\$ —429.08	\$ 626.20	\$ 313.83	\$ 10,462.18	\$ —296.43
Net Gen. & Recreation Bal.	\$ 197.12				
				Net School & Athletic Bal.	
				\$ 10,165.75	
				Plus	7.94 Due 1964 tax
					<u>\$ 10,173.69</u>

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Inventory of Equipment:

Bucket Loader Sidewalk Plow	\$3,500.00
1 G. M. C. Dump Truck	1,000.00
1 Snowplow Frame	500.00
	<u>\$5,000.00</u>

TOWN OF WEST RUTLAND AND SCHOOL DISTRICT
Balance Sheet as of December 31, 1964

ASSETS	General	Recreation	Equipment	School	Athletic
Cash—see Statement	\$ —429.08	\$ 626.20	\$ 313.84	\$10,562.18	\$ —296.43
Delinquent Taxes and Interest on both taxes—estimated	1,000.00				
Due from 1964 taxes	1,451.59				
Overadvance to Library	1,000.00				
Due from Fire District	500.00				
TOTAL ASSETS	\$3,522.51	\$ 626.20	\$ 313.84	\$10,462.18	\$ —.296.43
					Net School and Athletic
				\$10,165.75	
LIABILITIES					
Loans—Proctor Trust Co.	\$50,000.00				
School Dist. Loan	25,000.00				
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$75,000.00				
Less Assets	3,522.51				
LIABILITIES OVER ASSETS	\$71,477.49				
ASSETS OVER LIABILITIES		\$ 626.20	\$ 313.84	10,462.18	\$ —296.53
				\$10,462.18	
				—296.53	
				\$10,165.75	
			Plus	\$25,000.00	
			Due from Loan	\$35,165.75	

**BONDS AND INSURANCE CARRIED BY THE TOWN
AND SCHOOL DISTRICTS OF WEST RUTLAND, VT.
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1964**

	Held by Selectmen	Held by School Directors
SURETY BONDS OF TOWN OFFICERS		
Stanley Brzoza, Treasurer	\$10,000.00	\$5,000.00
Gene Wasik, Tax Collector	1,000.00	1,000.00
George Megrath, Town Manager	1,000.00	
V. A. Sevigny, Town Clerk	1,000.00	1,000.00
Philip Bartlett, Selectman	2,000.00	
F. J. Smolinski, Director		1,000.00
Richard Welch, "		1,000.00
Norbert Sevigny, "		1,000.00
Stanley Pietryka, Constable	1,000.00	
FIRE INSURANCE		
Main St. School		310,000.00
Building and Contents		50,000.00
Boiler		50,000.00
Band Instruments		2,489.00
Band Uniforms		3,144.00
FIRE AND EXTENDED COVERAGE		
Town Hall Bldg.	\$80,000.00	
Town Hall Furniture	2,500.00	
Town Garage	4,000.00	
Contents	2,000.00	
Skating Rink Shelter	1,000.00	
Legion Bldg.	24,000.00	
EQUIPMENT		
*Bobcat Metro Bucket Loader		
**Property Damage, Comprehensive	4,200.00	
*G. M. C. Truck		
**Property Damage		
Comprehensive Actual Cash Value	5,000.00	
*International Truck (1939)		
Property	5,000.00	
*Liability \$50. to \$100.00		
**Property Damage \$50.00 Deductible		
General Liability \$10,000 to \$50,000 Bodily Injury-Workman & School Bldgs.		
Workmen's Compensation Insurance carried to comply with State Requirements.		
Employers Liability \$25,000.00		

1965 PROPOSED HIGHWAY BUDGET

Project	1965 Expense	1965 Receipts
Bridges	\$4,200.00	\$3,200.00
Chloride & Salt Dust Control	1,400.00	400.00
Plowing Cemeteries, and Mowing Roadsides	500.00	
Cleaning Catchbasins, etc.	400.00	
Selected Road Maintenance	1,100.00	
Selected Road Retreatment	4,500.00	530.00
Road Construction	6,000.00	3,000.00
Town Highway Maintenance	8,000.00	4,000.00
Town Highway Construction and Retreatment	5,500.00	5,500.00
Traffic and Crosswalk Markings	200.00	
Tree and Brush Cutting	500.00	
Winter Maintenance	12,000.00	1,270.00
Social Security	400.00	
TOTALS	\$44,700.00	\$18,100.00
Expenses over Receipts		26,600.00
		\$44,700.00

GRAND LIST—\$24,000.00

Highway Tax needed to cover 1965 Expenses

\$1.10

\$26,400.00

G. W. MEGRATH, Town Manager

DOG ACCOUNT -- 1964

195 Licenses Issued at \$2.00	\$390.00
17 " " " 3.00	51.00
15 " " " 6.00	90.00
2 " " " 9.00	18.00
229 " " " "	\$549.00
Total Received for Licenses Issued	\$549.00
Less fee for 229 Licenses Issued	57.25
Total remitted to Treasurer	\$491.75

V. A. SEVIGNY, Town Clerk

VERMONT STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

ANNUAL TOWN REPORT, 1964

During the year we sent letters to many of the people of the town of West Rutland concerning the immunization status of their children. I would like to thank them for their very fine response to this inquiry. You will be interested in learning that in Vermont 4 out of every 5 babies have been started on their shots for diphtheria, whooping-cough, tetanus and polio by 6 months of age.

This is a testament to the genuine concern which Vermonters have for the health of their children, their neighbors and their communities; something in which every Vermonter can take pride.

The following is a tabulation of some of the more important health services provided people of your town in the fiscal year 1964.

Attendance at well child clinics	235
Nutrition, dietary consultations to institutions, groups, individuals	—
Pediatric consultations for child health problems	—
Number of children given diagnostic service at hospitals	—
Number of children aided at handicapped children's clinics for speech and hearing, orthopedic, plastic, plastic, neurological, cardiac problems	13
Number of children financially aided with hospitalization	1
Number of children served by mental retardation clinics	—
People X-rayed for tuberculosis detection	30
Diphtheria, Tetanus, Whooping-cough immunizations	227
Polio immunizations (Salk injection or Sabin oral) at clinics	650
Number of water samples tested (private and public supplies)	55
Food and dairy products tested	—
Blood specimens (pre-marital, pre-natal and other)	74
Other laboratory specimens	15
Sanitary inspections, consultations (food and lodging, camps)	23
Water, sewage, disposal, public building and other inspections	23
People X-rayed for occupational diseases	126
Hospital and nursing home inspections and consultations	2

Dental health education, number of children served in schools	—
Number served by tumor clinics	1
Public Health Nurse home visits	123
Number served by Public Health Nurse visits	57

Respectfully submitted,

R. B. AIKEN, M.D., M.P.H.
Commissioner of Health

VERMONT DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WELFARE
Montpelier, Vermont

To the Auditor of the Town of West Rutland.

The following amounts listed represent the amount of the balance due the Vermont Department of Social Welfare as of Dec. 19, 1964, and do not include charges which will appear on the January 1, 1965 billings.

Committed Children	\$96.84
Aid to Dependent Children	\$50.63
Hospitalization	\$57.75
Physicians' Services	\$12.30
Nursing Home Care	\$131.13
TOTAL DUE	\$233.15

JOHN J. WACKERMAN,
Commissioner

SELECTMEN'S ORDERS DRAWN

(1/1/64 through 4/8/64)

(FOR REFERENCE ONLY)

Name	Amount
Town Hall	
Sevigny's Inc., fuel oil	\$1,074.38
C. V. Public Service, lights	117.55
Edw. Mullaney, janitor service	560.00
Francis Cain, removing ashes	25.00
Frank Etheridge, piano tuning	14.50
Town Dump	
C. V. Public Service, lights	24.20
Chas. Pecor, labor	380.00
Town Officers	
V. A. Sevigny, Town Clerk fees	77.20
A. Tumielewicz, Selectman's Salary	300.00
Phil Bartlett, " "	50.00
Adam Krempa, services	24.70
John Orzell, Auditor's services	75.00
John . Battles, " "	180.00
Mary St. Louis, " "	180.00
Civil Defense	
Westinghouse Electric, supplies	81.01
Oakman Electric Co., " "	22.65
Vermarco Co., " "	207.65
Leo Trepanier, labor	297.06
Misc. Supplies	
Matt Kenny, P. M., postage, etc.	109.03
Tuttle Stationery Co.	26.00
Sevigny, Inc.	23.27
Street & Traffic Lights & Town Garage	
C. V. Public Service—Street	1,801.50
Traffic	23.55
Town Garage	47.29
Election Expense	
Sharp Offset Printing, Town Reports and Ballots	499.80
Ballot Clerks	160.00
Larry's Music Co., amplifier rental	5.00
Taxes and Interest	
Proctor Trust Co., interest	538.78
State of Vermont, State Aid Patrol	144.80
C. W. Campbell, County Tax	800.24

Highway

Advances to Highway Account	\$11,000.00
Vermarco Supply Co., cold patch	36.04

Winter Maintenance

A. Fabian, snow removal, labor and equipment	150.50
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Equipment Supplies & Repairs

Motor Vehicle Dept., registration 2 trucks	17.50
Francis Cain, tractor rental	220.00
A. & J. Supply Co., supplies	34.28
Wm. Kearney, sander and plow repairs	76.00
Eddies Gulf Service	30.19
Terry Bros.	22.03
State Equipment Col., sander parts	42.09
Mumford-Sevigny, Bobcat Insurance	155.50

Miscellaneous

Rutland Herald, advertising	28.00
State of Vermont, audit	360.00
City of Rutland, tapping Town Farm water main	12.72
S. E. Smith Co., bags	5.00
Mumford-Sevigny, public official schedule	113.00
W. R. School District, advance	20,000.00

SELECTMEN'S ORDERS 1/3 THROUGH 4/10

Signed by John F. Wilk

Winter Highway Maintenance & Snow Removal

John F. Wilk, labor and mileage	\$46.00
Wilk Bros., equipment	340.95
Ernest Moody, Jr., labor	43.40
J. Rogers, labor	13.75
A. Fabian, equipment	97.38
Edw. Fabian, truck	122.76
Thomas Krokowka, truck	62.31

Sidewalk Plowing and Sanding

John F. Wilk, labor and truck	65.40
Ernest Moody, Jr., labor	186.70
A. Carrara, labor	6.20

Washout Repairs

John F. Wilk, labor	135.30
John F. Wilk, truck	180.75
Ernest Moody, Jr., labor	91.45
A. Carrara, labor	110.83
J. Rogers, labor	25.00
Wilk Bros., equipment	445.16
Erickson Bros., gravel	15.60

Town Farm Development & Forest Maintenance

John F. Wilk, labor	\$7.20
John F. Wilk, truck	18.53
E. Moody, Jr., labor	14.73
A. Carrara, labor	14.73
Robt. Higgins, labor	23.13

WATER LINE

Monroe Wholesale, pipes and fittings	250.48
J. Carrara & Son, sand	88.09

MAPLEWOOD DRIVE

John F. Wilk, labor	7.20
Wilk Bros., equipment	172.50
Erickson Bros., gravel	12.00

Equipment and Repairs

John F. Wilk, labor and mileage	92.80
Ernest Moody, Jr., labor	57.35
A. Carrara, labor	22.48
Wilk Bros., equipment repairs	24.43
Sevigny's Inc., fuel for town barn	213.26
Ray Beane, tire repair	7.00
Corcoran Auto Supply, parts	77.45
Interstate Equipment & Supply Co., snowplow parts	100.01
Holmes Iron Co., snowplow repairs	54.40
Oakman Electric Co., mat for town barn	27.95
State Equipment Co., sander parts	42.09
Rutland Auto Supply, parts	35.35
McCormack Machine Co., sander repairs	32.42
Chas. Glidden, wiring at town barn	17.50
Eddies Gulf Service, supplies	26.49
Terry Bros.	26.30
Greater Am. Steel Corp., flares, chains, plow shoes	392.84

Miscellaneous

J. F. Wilk, hired equipment, labor re-surfacing Pleasant Street water line	193.31
Wilk Bros., re-surfacing Pleasant Street water line	654.22
J. F. Wilk, hired equipment, Main St., gutter	31.07
Wilk Bros, hot mix, Main St., gutter	177.17
Rutland Herald, advertising Parking Ordinance	15.00
J. F. Wilk, patrol duty, parking ordinance	12.63
Chas. Glidden, patrol duty, parking ordinance	19.97
J. F. Wilk, gas steaming culverts	1.00
J. Bean, gas steaming culverts	3.90

TOTAL**\$4,955.92**

SELECTMEN'S ORDERS DRAWN UNDER TOWN MANAGER

FOR REFERENCE ONLY

Town Farm Development

Boule Bros., bulldozer	\$499.00
Robert Stowell, cutting trees	12.00
Maynard Welch, surveying 31 lots	923.40
A. Werchenski, labor	52.73
Wm. Pecor, labor	27.75
Stanley Grabowski, labor	13.50
Edw. Fabion, labor with compressor	63.00
Monroe Wholesale, supplies	91.39
Jos. Skaza, backhoe	199.75
Donahue Salvage Co., pipe	5.00
R. C. Thrall & Son, labor	3.50
G. W. Megrath, tile	96.00
Rutland Wholesale Co., supplies	3.39
Northeastern Culvert Co., pipe	487.59
M. Kenny, P. M., postage	4.95
F. Elnicki, Inc.	10.00

Sidewalk Account

A. Werchenski, labor	323.58
Wm. Pecor, labor	184.25
Jos. Smith, labor	79.38
Town Truck and Loader	130.90
L. M. Pike & Sons, supplies	642.61
Parker Danner Corp., roller rental	140.00
E. Pelletier, materials	56.75
Selectmen's Equipment Fund, truck	333.50

Highways and Bridges

Quality Lumber Co., materials	40.80
Gagnon Lumber Co., materials	7.20
A. Werchenski, labor	3.70
Wm. Pecor, labor	2.50
Edw. Fabian, labor	10.00

Town Officers

G. W. Megrath, Town Manager	4,073.27
J. L. Battles, Lister's salary and school	431.25
H. H. Hall, Lister's salary and school	421.25
Jacob Pawlusiak, Lister's salary	330.00
Stanley Brzoza	1,850.00
M. R. St. Louis, services, taxes	306.00
V. A. Seigny, Town Clerk's services	50.50

Ed. Fabian, Selectman's salary	\$200.00
Frank Bruno, Selectman's salary	150.00
Police Service	
Stanley Pietryka	50.25
Wilbrod Trepanier	16.25
H. Wilkins	13.25
S. Brezniak	13.25
Tree Work	
Harold Loso	180.00
N. E. Tree Co.	74.66
S. Kapitan	483.00
A. Werchenski, labor	27.67
Wm. Pecor, labor	11.25
Cemetery Work	
Pat. Harison	8.75
Edgar Hewitt	23.00
A. Werchenski	12.25
Terry Bros., supplies	1.00
Civil Defense	
C. V. Public Service	16.00
V. A. Stomper, labor	120.00
Marcel Wallett, labor	127.00
Vermarco Lime, supplies	15.38
Vt. Structural Steel	950.00
Forest Fire Prevention	
D. B. Smith, pumps	114.80
R. E. A., pumps	4.16
Firemen's services	119.41
Advances	
Highway	13,000.00
Fire District #1	22,869.62
School District	70,108.75
Library	2,000.00
Notes and Interest	
Proctor Trust—Notes	90,000.00
Interest	1,228.26
Taxes	
State Highway Assessment	805.50
Old Age Assistance Tax	5,184.00
Vt. Agricultural Tax	469.51
Social Security Taxes	357.80
Miscellaneous Supplies	
Norton Paint Co.	1.91
Norcross Eldredge	.60

Tuttle Stationery Co.	\$67.56
Vt. Institutional Industries, forms	9.05
Rutland Printing Co.	34.19
Vt. Business Equipment Co.	5.30
Vt. State Surplus Agency	12.50
Sharp Printing Co.	334.09
W. C. Landon Co.	57.74
M. Kenny, P. M., postage, etc.	143.55
Sevigny's Pharmacy	27.15

Miscellaneous Services

C. V. Public Service Co., lights	5,405.72
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	150.45
Election	248.00
Bloomer & Bloomer (1963)	18.00
Fred & V. Boudreau—Lot refund	100.00
Social Security—refund M. Nickros	68.00
Otter Creek Soil Conservation—trees	15.00
C. Petraglia, keys	1.50
Rutland Herald, advertising	32.50
American Legion, 1963 & 1964	200.00
Mumford-Sevigny, insurance	603.89
Murphy Office Equipment Co., repairs	24.00
G. W. Megrath, conference expenses	35.95
G. W. Megrath, chair castors	4.20
F. Mullaney, election expense	3.75

Miscellaneous Labor

A. Werchenski, tree and Brook work	117.60
Edgar Hewitt, tree and brook work	80.25
Jos. Smith	5.00
Wm. Pecor, tree work	11.25

Town Hall

Sevigny's Inc.	654.00
C. V. Public Service	279.91
Edward Mulaney, janitor	881.60
Carl Billado, slating	225.45
A. Werchenski, labor	7.40
Ernest Moody, Sr., labor	5.00
Barney Mullaney, boiler repairs	66.25
Vt. Electric Co., supplies	34.22
Stanley Wos, labor	99.12
Fire Dist #1, water rent	51.78
Henry Jakubowski, fuel oil	282.22

Town Buildings

C. V. Public Service	49.84
John Waski, furnace repairs	15.00

James Bell, labor and supplies	\$34.37
Monroe Wholesale, supplies	5.72
Winter Maintenance	
A. Werchenski, labor and truck	534.87
E. Pelletier, sand	32.00
Yankee Salt Co.	1,870.19
Chemical Corp., salt	105.79
Jos. Skaza, labor	211.50
Chas. Pecor, labor	11.25
Wm. Pecor, labor	102.16
Edw. Fabian, labor	18.75
Thos. Krakowka, truck	5.75
Francis Cain, plowing	50.00
A. Fabian, labor and equipment	195.62
Jos. Carrara & Sons, sand	250.00
Selectmen's Equipment Fund	
Loader	60.00
Truck #1	836.25
Truck #2	50.00
State Aid Construction	
Clarendon Ave. Project	14,258.57
U. S. #4	502.15
Reimbursements to Highway Account	
State Aid—gravel 2/1	114.30
Retreatment	1,121.41
Town Highways	2,768.60
Vermarco Lime Co.	37.42
Jos. Carrara & Son	47.35
State Treasurer	1,043.81
Gorman Bros., tar	1,249.82
State Aid Retreatment	
Gorman Bros.	1,568.47
State Treasurer	727.34
Town Dump	
Chas. Pecor, labor	627.00
A. Fabian, labor and equipment	394.00
C. V. Service, lights	48.35
Vt. Electric Supply Co., bulbs	17.12

POOR ORDERS DRAWN

Hospitals—Miscellaneous	\$7,536.96
Board and Care	28.44
Medical	1,472.58
Groceries	811.63
Social Welfare—A. D. C. and C. C.	3,705.98
Fuel	22.69
Clothing	8.97
TOTAL POOR ORDERS DRAWN	\$13,587.25

TOWN HIGHWAY REPORT

Name	Purpose	Amount
E. Hewitt—labor		356.20
	sweeping	50.75
	cleaning catch basins	78.75
R. Choquette—labor		33.75
A. Werchenski—labor		1,793.17
	truck and driver	87.86
	sweeping	50.75
	cleaning catch basins	78.75
E. Pelletier—gravel		50.00
Wilk Bros., Inc—25 hrs. grading @ \$12.50 hr.		312.50
S. E. Smith Co.—tools		12.15
Vermarco Lime—coldpatch		1,908.59
Yankee Salt Corp.—dust control salt		367.41
Allied Chemical Corp.—chloride		498.50
Vt. State Treasurer—135 hrs. Grader @ \$5.50		742.50
	154 hrs. operator	382.50
	Marble Street	160.22
	truck	14.00
Ernest Moody, Sr.—labor		371.69
	sweeping	47.50
	cleaning catch basins	56.25
Edw. Fabian—labor on manholes and drilling		106.50
N. E. Culvert Co.—culverts		215.48
Rutland Herald—advertising		6.00
W. C. Landon Co.—tools, paint & Misc. supplies		71.71
Town of Proctor—Higgins job		20.00
W. R. Fire Dist. #1—Higgins job		58.63
Chas. Pecor—labor		95.00
Wm. Pecor—sweeping		36.25
	labor	319.37

Pat Harrison—sweeping	\$34.37
labor	56.25
Jos. Carrara & Sons—sand and gravel	2,092.37
L. M. Pike & Sons—hot mix	426.53
John Kurant—roadside mowing	205.00
Vt. Marble Co.—gravel	15.00
Champlain Const. Co.—loading 84 yds. gravel	16.80
Jos. Skaza—backhoe	17.00
labor	73.50
Jos. Smith—sweeping	25.00
labor	7.50
A. Fabian—loading 9 loads of gravel	18.00
Vt. Institutional—signs and posts	53.60
Selectmen's Equipment Fund—use of Equipment	2,322.50
Selectmen—Gen. Fund—truck re-imbursement	1,600.00
refund for over-advancement	637.48
Social Security	323.82
	<u>\$16,302.35</u>

Submitted by Town Manager—
May 4 through Dec. 11, 1964

WINTER MAINTENANCE

WINTER MAINTENANCE—Jan. 3 through April 22, 1964

Name	Purpose	Amount
John F. Wilk—labor		\$1,424.60
	trucks	1,817.83
	mileage	9.60
Wilk Bros., trucks and equipment		1,404.34
E. Moody, Jr., labor		955.88
A. Carrara, labor		1,244.68
John Rogers—labor		427.50
Anthony Fabian—truck		27.63
Edward Fabian—truck		26.00
F. Geryk—truck		24.44
F. Krempa—labor		25.00
Jos. Czachor—plowing schools, churches & cemeteries		165.00
Chemical Corp—salt		3,934.49
E. Pelletier, gravel		30.00
J. P. Carrara & Son—sand		639.23
Kulig Fuels—kerosine		10.00
		<u>\$12,166.22</u>

ROAD MAINTENANCE—Jan. 3 through April 22, 1964

John F. Wilk—labor and back pay	\$401.70
John F. Wilk—truck	230.10
John F. Wilk—mileage	21.80
John F. Wilk—chainsaw	18.75
Ernest Moody, Jr—labor and vacation pay	297.50
A. Carrara—labor and vacation pay	306.90
J. Rogers—labor	6.25
Vermarco Lime Co.—cold patch	72.47
E. Pelletier—gravel	2.00
John Orzell, old lumber	21.00
W. C. Landon Co.—2 shovels	9.92
Nick Philips—nails, rope, etc.	4.69
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	\$1,393.08

GRAND TOTAL	<hr/> <hr/> \$29,861.65
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EQUIPMENT FUND EXPENSE 5/4 through 12/31

State Equipment Co.—parts	\$50.89
Peoples Fuel Co.—oil	33.70
Potters Garage—parts, oil and labor	180.32
Corcoran Auto Supply—parts	133.83
Eddies Gulf Service, supplies	221.64
Hathorns—parts	124.84
Interstate Equipment—plow equipment	245.41
Ray Beane, Inc.—tires	278.44
Terry Bros.—gas, oil and labor	189.15
W. F. Kearney—welding	33.00
Chet's Service Center—chain saw	111.50
Rosen & Berger—axle rim \$30.00, chains \$80.00	110.00
Kelton Motors—parts	31.68
Labor—A. Werchenski	3.70
E. Moody, Sr.	2.50
State Motor Vehicle Dept.—registration	10.00
Rutland Auto Supply—supplies	58.71
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TOTAL	\$1,819.31

RECREATION REPORT

John Orzell—radio repairs	\$ 2.55
R. Bates—labor at skating rink	450.00
Chas. Glidden—insurance and expenses to Conference	81.00
Chas. Glidden—labor on waterline at Rink	17.50
P. T. A.—Halloween transportation	12.85
Sevigny's Pharmacy—supplies	78.63
Oakman Electric Co.—supplies	16.73
State Board—Seminar expenses	49.50
Little League—donation	100.00
Wilson's Sports Equip.—supplies	23.74
W. E. Aubuchon Co., supplies	6.24
King's Dept. Store—prizes	17.00
Eddies Gulf Service—supplies	7.48
Steve O'Bara—cutting grass	15.00
Wilk Bros., Inc.—grading and labor	195.19
H. P. Hood & Sons—supplies	29.10
Myrna Cassady—prizes	20.00
State Department—registration	5.70
Robt. Chapman—deposit on land option	400.00
R. C. Thrall—services	2.00
Henry Fagon—supplies	35.00
Monroe Wholesale—supplies	45.33
Jos. Skaza—labor at Rink	102.00
Fire Department—labor at Rink	63.75
Patricia McGann—transportation	10.00
Bernard Nash—transportation	10.00
Frank Fabian—dredging at Pool	126.00
Town of West Rutland—sand and labor	22.55
Francis Johnson—fuel oil	72.39
John Rogers, Jr.—supervision	420.00
Mary M. Nash—supervision	200.00
Jean Pietryka—supervision	200.00

TOTAL EXPENDITURES

\$2,837.23

Cash on Hand Jan. 1, 1964	\$1,159.05
Receipts 10c on Grand List	2,304.17
Total Cash Available	3,463.22
LESS Disbursements	2,837.23
Cash on Hand Jan. 1, 1965	<u>\$ 625.99</u>

REPORT OF RECREATION COMMITTEE

Mr. Ronnie Bates efficiently begun the year at the skating rink. The average daily attendance was between 50 and 60 persons showing a very definite desire for skating.

Applicants for Summer positions were screened early in May and a final settlement was made with John Rogers Jr. as supervisor. The Misses Mary M. Nash and Jean Pietryka were selected to be assistants. The three selected attended a recreation course directed by the State Recreation Department. Mr. Howard Jeffrey, State Director, highly praised their willingness to hard work that increase their education of this particular field.

In the past three years the attendance at the Sabotka Swimming Hole has greatly increased to between 250 and 300 children and adults. With so many taking advantage of this project the Recreation Board was faced with a problem of space, sanitation and construction. As many of you know only a verbal agreement was made with Mr. Chapman that could interrupt our activities simply by selling or constructing. Realizing that we had no legal right to add to the facilities we approached Mr. Chapman with a proposal to purchase the desired land which was accepted by Mr. Chapman. The paperwork was handled by Robert Turner and the legal work by Attys' Bloomer and Bloomer.

Now that we had a legal right to enlarge we found that we did not have sufficient funds on hand. We then entered into an option agreement with Mr. Chapman wherein we would pay at this time \$400.00 and the balance of \$1600.00 in March, if so voted by the Townspeople. Considering the asset to the Town we considered the price asked a fair one.

We have been approached by both teenagers and adults at the inadequacy of our Tennis Courts. A survey was taken and we found that persons who wished to play had to wait too long a time to use a court. There is a decided increase in interest of this sport and we are now in the process of having an estimate made for the construction of one or two more courts.

On Friday nights during the Summer months block dances were held for the teenagers with much success and under the supervision of Bernard Nash and other chaperones.

Chas. Glidden attended a conference in Montpelier this past Winter and learned that the town can get a Federal Aid for the purpose of planning acquisition and development of Recreational areas. This would include Sabotka's and the Tennis Courts. The

final paperwork was sent to the State House in December but the proposition is on a matching dollar for dollar basis and must be voted upon at the March Meeting.

In closing may we say that the objective of Recreation is to help people acquire a well balanced, fully developed personality that functions with efficiency and satisfaction by the development of a social environment conducive to the end. Do your part when you are asked and we will do ours. It is a better way of life.

Respectively submitted,

CHARLES GLIDDEN

IRENE M. McCORMACK

BERNARD NASH

ROBERT TURNER

GENERAL ORDERS DRAWN

Name	Amount
Wilson Sports Equipment, supplies	\$.85
Town Highways, reimbursement	28,506.46
Westinghouse Electric, supplies	29.83
Vt. Institutional Dept., supplies	9.05
Vt. Business Equipment Co., supplies	5.30
Vt. Surplus Property Agency, supplies	12.50
City of Rutland, supplies	12.72
Vt. Electric Supply, supplies	34.72
Town Hall Water Rent	51.78
N. J. Quesnel, truck	1,600.00
Terry Bros., supplies	30.96
Val. Stomper, services	120.00
Marcel Wallett, services	127.00
Vermarco Co., supplies	223.03
Vt. Structural Steel	950.00
Leo Trepanier, services	297.06
Stanley Wos, services	99.12
M. Nichros Estate, refund	68.00
S. E. Smith Co., supplies	5.00
Otter Creek Conservation, services	15.00
Vt. Motor Vehicle Dept., registrations	27.50
Vt. State Audit	360.00
S. Kapitan, services	483.00
Stanley Brzoza, salary	1,850.00
C. V. Corp., service	7,147.63
Railway Express, cartage	4.16
James Bell, services	34.37
Ballot Clerks, services	411.75
Forest Fires, services	119.73
S. Brezniak, services	13.25
Frank Bruno	150.00
Edward Fabian	200.00
Philip Bartlett	400.00
A. Tumielewicz	300.00
Carl Billado	225.45
Fred & Veronica Boudreau, refund	100.00
Jos. Carrara, supplies	47.35
Matt Kenny, P. M.	255.56
Ed. Fabian, services	73.00
John Battles, listing	431.25
Harry Hall	411.25
Jacob Pawlusiak	330.00
Monroe Wholesale, supplies	5.72

Vermarco Lime	\$196.99
D. B. Smith Co., supplies	114.80
John L. Battles, audit	180.00
John Orzell	75.00
Mary St. Louis	486.00
V. A. Sevigny, services	127.70
Sevigny's Inc., fuel oil	1,747.85
Sevigny's Pharmacy, supplies	30.95
W. Pecor, labor	53.75
Joe Smith, labor	5.00
State of Vermont, services	16,835.22
State Patrol	144.80
Proctor Trust Co. (including interest)	91,767.04
Tuttle Stationery Co., supplies	93.56
Fire Dist. #1, reimbursement	22,869.62
Vt. Agricultural Tax	469.51
School District, reimbursement	133,427.51
Social Security	505.59
Harold Wilkins, services	13.25
Stanley Pietryka, police duty	50.25
Wilbrod Trepanier, police duty	16.25
W. C. Landon Co., supplies	57.74
Sharp Offset Co., printing	833.89
Edw. Mullaney, salary	1,441.60
Quality Lumber Co., supplies	48.00
Bernard Mullaney, services	66.25
N. E. Tree Experts, services	74.66
Norcross Eldridge Co., supplies	.60
Norton Paint Co., supplies	1.91
Carminc Petraglia, services	1.50
Vt. State Equipment Co., services	42.90
John Wasik, services	15.00
Rutland Herald, advertising	60.50
Old Age Assistance Tax	5,184.00
Henry Jakubowski, supplies	282.22
Pat Harrison, labor	8.75
Gorman Bros., Inc., supplies	2,725.02
Edgar Hewitt, labor	92.00
Bloomer & Bloomer, services	18.00
Adam Krempa, services	24.70
Oakman Electric Supply Co., supplies	22.65
Geo. Megrath, salary	3,677.80
Geo. Megrath, mileage	383.47
Ernest Moody, Sr., labor	16.25
American Legion, 1963 and 1964	200.00
Jos. Gagnon, supplies	32.80

A. Fabian, services	\$544.50
Sevigny & Mumford, insurance	1,362.90
Francis Cain, services	245.00
Harold Loso, labor	180.00
Eddies Gulf, supplies	30.19
Murphy Office Equipment Co., service	24.00
Rutland Printing Co., supplies	18.75
Wm. F. Kearney, services	76.00
Larry's Music Store, supplies	5.00
Rutland County Tax	800.24
A & J Auto Parts, supplies	34.28
Library Association	4,456.25
R. W. Lebaron, Inc., supplies	131.78
Frank Etheridge, supplies	14.50
N. E. Tel. & Tel., service	132.65
TOTAL ORDERS DRAWN	\$338,158.24

ATHLETIC REPORT

Name	Purpose	Amount
J. Champion, equipment		\$159.04
Champion Knitwear, supplies		111.47
Nixon Company, letters		56.58
F. B. Howard, trophy awards		32.45
Thomas Keene, supplies		30.00
Wilson Sports Equipment, supplies		922.78
Globe Ticket Co., supplies		23.58
Rutland Printing Co., schedules		14.00
Thomas Daley, labor		3.00
Ivory System, supplies		101.80
		\$1,454.70

Cash on Hand Jan. 1, 1964	\$ 6.09
Receipts—5c on Grand List	1,152.08
Cash Available	\$1,158.17
LESS Expenditures	1,454.70
DEBIT BALANCE*	\$ 296.53*

WEST RUTLAND PUBLIC SCHOOLS
West Rutland, Vermont
School Year 1964-1965

SALARY SCHEDULE

William H. Timbers, Principal	\$ 7,200.00
Margaret A. Bliss, English, Latin	6,200.00
Susan Carroll/Daniel Boone, English, Soc. Studies	4,800.00
*Bernice M. Hinchey, English, Latin, Guidance (200)	6,500.00
John R. Gibbud, Science, Football (300)	5,000.00
Jean McVeigh, English, French	5,800.00
Loretta Mulhern, Homemaking	5,700.00
Charles A. Wise, Jr., Commercial	5,400.00
Nancy A. Yager, Commercial	4,500.00
*Joseph J. Zawistoski, Mathematics, Driver Ed. (500)	6,500.00
Alene C. Brown, Grade 5	5,850.00
Elizabeth G. Carter, Grade 4	5,850.00
Grayce M. Groonell, Grade 3	5,850.00
Julia V. Higgins, Grade 7	5,850.00
Julia A. McCarthy, Grade 8	5,850.00
Margaret C. McDevitt, Grade 2	5,850.00
Anna T. Mullaney, Grade 6	5,850.00
Cecilia M. Scott, Grade 1	4,700.00
*Esther P. Nelson, Nurse, Truant Officer (200)	3,800.00
*Walter Hyjek, Janitor	3,900.00
	<hr/> \$107,050.00
Coaching Assistance; Football, Basketball, Baseball	800.00
	<hr/> \$107,850.00

*Above Increments totaling \$900 appear elsewhere in the budget; also appearing elsewhere are salaries for Art and Music Instruction and Janitor Services. Therefore, these totals are not listed above.

GEOFFREY GRAHAM

WEST RUTLAND HIGH SCHOOL
West Rutland, Vermont
SCHOOL STATISTICS

School Year July 1, 1963 June 30, 1964	School Year July 1, 1962 June 30, 1963
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Based on Average Daily Membership

Number High School Students based on Average Daily Membership.....	200.2	164.3
Total Current Expenses of the High School.....	65,585.52	63,161.56
Approximate Cost per student based on Average Daily Membership.....	322.44	380.53
Number of Elementary Students based on Average Daily Membership.....	203.4	205.9
Total Current Expenses of the Elementary School.....	60,621.77	60,993.22
Approximate Cost per student based on Average Daily Membership.....	301.49	286.22
Number of Elementary School Rooms	8	8

SUPERINTENDENT'S ANNUAL REPORT

West Rutland, Vermont

Writing this first report to the voters of West Rutland is a difficult assignment. There is an unusually large number of topics which should be presented for your consideration; but space prevents lengthiness.

First, then, there are genuine feelings of appreciation to be expressed to the pupils, the teachers, the school board members, the parents and citizens for their friendliness. Continuation of the improving of the education of West Rutland's young people is made easier when we meet and discuss and plan as friends. There is much for us to weigh and to plan.

Mr. William Timbers was appointed to the Principalship as of July 1, 1964, to succeed Mr. Frank Hinchey. He has demonstrated himself to be a truly capable and responsible leader deserving of the fine support you have extended to him.

One new teacher was added for 1964-1965, bringing three other teaching assignments closer to meeting the new State Minimum Standards for Secondary Schools. Another additional teacher for 1965-1966 is necessary for further progress. You will vote separately on adding a part-time woman physical education teacher, who can provide training for boys in the elementary grades, and all girls. Renovations of the girls' shower and locker rooms are essential if our girls are to use them every day, and a separate article in the warning covers this proposal.

Addition of a part-time teacher of woodworking for boys in grades 7, 8 and 9 is being planned. Consideration is being given, also for grades 7 and 8, to hiring a teacher especially trained in English and the social sciences for one of two vacancies created by retirements, and a second teacher qualified in modern math and science for the other.

Three elementary and 58 high school pupils come to us from Ira, Timmouth, Middletown Springs and Castleton. Our allowable high school tuition charge for 1964-1965 is only \$322.29. This figure is but 65% of the state average cost of \$416.00. West Rutland High School thus is not over-spending, nor are parents and citizens being asked to do more than a fair share in support of schools.

The teachers in West Rutland have joined those of other districts in professional meetings this year, for the first time. The school directors in Proctor and Rutland Town have joined with your directors to formulate educational policies to apply in all

three towns. We are part of an area vocational school under study jointly by Rutland City and seven other districts. Meetings are scheduled to study with neighboring towns the various proposals for enlarging school districts. Although your superintendent feels Vermont does not need nor want truly large school districts, the 1965 versions of plans for enlarging and unifying districts, as about to be studied in the legislature, are in general reasonable. He is strongly of the mind that "quality and meaning" in the education of West Rutland youth (especially at the high school level) and long-range economy lie in sharing problems and answers with Wallingford, Proctor, Rutland Town and those towns mentioned above who now send us tuition students. Serious studies cannot start too soon; your active interest and concern are equally important.

Admiration and thanks are extended to a corps of retiring teachers who have carried on with honor and diligence their work with children for many years. Their know-how and devotion have long served West Rutland boys and girls:

Miss Julia A. McCarthy	52 years of teaching
Miss Julia V. Higgins	47 years of teaching
Miss Margaret C. McDevitt	43 years of teaching
Miss Grayce M. Groonell	40 years of teaching

In his 1965 budget message, Governor Hoff has said, "The children of Vermont deserve an education second to none in quality and meaning." And, "the times demand a bold approach . . . the necessity results from having done too little for too long." We owe it to the excellent youth of West Rutland to consider how much effort, and even sacrifice, may be needed to provide them a "competitive" education in to morrow's vastly changed world. Henry David Thoreau once remarked that "The cost of a thing is the amount of . . . life which is required to pay for it, immediately or in the long run." Either we, now and here, use our lives and our abilities to provide a strong and modern education, or our young people will pay in and with their lifetimes to reach for the quality we do not now support.

GEOFFREY GRAHAM,
Superintendent

SCHOOL REPORT FOR 1964

On January 28, 1964 a make-up clinic was held at the Main Street School. Dr. Frank J. Smolinski was the attending physician, assisted by Miss Nancy Blondo, public health nurse and Mrs. Esther Nelson, school nurse. There were 19 children who received immunizations; one was refused because of eczema. One vaccination, 6 re-vaccinations, 10 polio vaccine, 7 diphtheria, 3 tetanus boosters were given.

On February 4, 1964 an Oral Sabin Polio Clinic for Type I was held at the Main Street School.

There were 111 who took advantage of this program.

On March 18, 1964 an Oral Sabin Polio Clinic for Type III was held at the Main Street School. There were 147 who took advantage of this program.

I attended a Nurses Meeting on April 2, 1964 at the Rutland Junior High School.

There were five preschool clinics held at the Main Street School. The attending physician was Dr. Frank J. Smolinski, assisted by Miss Nancy Blondo, public health nurse, and Mrs. Esther Nelson, school nurse.

There were 136 physicals, 41 vaccinations, 117 re-vaccinations, 22 first diphtheria tetanus and pertussin, 7 second diphtheria tetanus and pertussin, 20 third diphtheria tetanus and pertussin, 57 diphtheria tetanus and pertussin boosters, and 52 salk polio vaccine. These clinics were held on April 14, 16, May 6, 13 and June 12, 1964.

Workers were Mrs. Frank Bioty, Mrs. Anthony Tumielewicz, Mrs. John Oprendeck, Mrs. Valentine Drzewiczewski, Mrs. Frank Bruno, Mrs. John Weinreber, Mrs. John Wilk, Mrs. Francis Johnson, Mrs. Valentine Lacz, Mrs. Walter Baron, Mrs. Walter Swierdzewski, Mrs. John Przybylo, Mrs. John Lundrigan and Mrs. Patrick McCormack.

On May 5, 1964, the last Oral Sabin Polio Clinic for Type II was held at the Main Street School. There were 171 who took advantage of this clinic.

On September 9, 1964 school opened with half-session.

There were 569 students registered in the Main Street and Saint Stanislaus schools. In September, vitamins were distributed to any child in the grades if the parents so desired. These vitamins are furnished by the Parent-Teacher Association.

The children at Saint Stanislaus School also receive vitamins; each child pays for his own.

Preschool children also have the advantage of procuring these vitamins. To date 10,000 vitamins have been supplied to preschoolers.

On September 14, 1964 notices for the dental clinic were sent to parents of the public and parochial school children.

This program started September 28, 1964 and we were fortunate to have Mrs. Dan Randall, a registered dental hygienist, back with us.

There were 160 children from the Main Street School and 79 from Saint Stanislaus School who signed for the program.

To date there are 60 preschoolers who signed for the program.

Each child is checked during the school year by the school nurse, and health records are kept for each. The parents are notified of any defects.

Hearing tests have been completed on all pupils in both schools. One pupil was referred to the Re-habilitation Center for a complete hearing check-up, and is under observation.

On October 2, 1964 the first school clinic was held at the Main Street School for the first grade. Dr. Frank J. Smolinski was the attending physician, assisted by Miss Nancy Blondo, public health nurse, and Mrs. Esther Nelson, school nurse. Workers were Mrs. John Przybylo, Mrs. John Weinreber and Mrs. Vincent Wierzbicki. There were 6 physicals, 33 diphtheria and tetanus boosters, 5 vaccinations, 11 re-vaccinations, 3 first diphtheria and tetanus, 2 second diphtheria and tetanus, and 4 salk polio.

On October 2, 1964 permission slips were sent home for a tuberculin test that was done on October 21, 1964.

On October 8, 1964 a clinic was held at the Main Street School. Dr. Frank J. Smolinski was the attending physician, assisted by Miss Nancy Blondo, public health nurse, and Mrs. Esther Nelson, school nurse, recorder was Mrs. Curtis Cassady. There were 45 re-vaccinations, 62 diphtheria and tetanus boosters.

On October 16, 1964 attended a Nurses Meeting at the Convention in Burlington.

On October 21, 1964 the Vermont Tuberculosis and Health Association sponsored a tuberculin test of 85 first and eighth grade students, and teachers of both schools in West Rutland. Assisting Dr. Frank J. Smolinski and Mrs. Esther Nelson, school nurse, was Mrs. Susan Meacham of the V. T. H. A.

All T. B. tests were negative when checked on October 26, 1964.

On November 19, 1964 a clinic for High School students was held at the Main Street School. Dr. Frank J. Smolinski was the attending physician assisted by Mrs. Veronica Williams, public health nurse, and Mrs. Esther Nelson, school nurse. Recorder was Mrs. Frank Bruno. There were 99 re-vaccinations, 90 diphtheria and tetanus boosters and 1 salk polio.

On December 17, 1964 a clinic was held at Saint Stanislaus School. Dr. Frank J. Smolinski was the attending physician assisted by Mrs. Veronica Williams, public health nurse, and Mrs. Esther Nelson, school nurse. Recorder was Mrs. Valentine Drzewiczewski. There were 7 diphtheria and tetanus boosters, 41 re-vaccinations and 18 salk polio.

On December 21, 1964 the Rotary Club and the Student Council of the High School gave me money to use for the needy children. This money will give 30 children a number of free lunches at school.

All school conferences were held under the supervision of the Vermont Department of Health.

Glasses have been procured for two children through the Lions Club.

There have been numerous cases of grippe, mumps and measles. Several children have been hurt during the school session and required a doctor's care. The school nurse has taken care of this.

Seventy-five calls were made and there were numerous phone contacts.

Mrs. ESTHER NELSON, R. N.
School Nurse
Truant Officer

BUDGET REPORT -- WEST RUTLAND SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 1

Disbursements	1962/63 Actual	1963/64 Actual	1964-1965 Revised Est.	1965-1966 Proposed
General Control				
1. Superintendent: Salary & Office Expense	(71.79)	(28.25)	\$5,500.00	\$5,500.00
2. Principal's Office: Secretarial	.....	.....	1,500.00	1,760.00
3. School Board: Salaries (375); Dues (90) Treasurer (450); Misc. (85)	\$ 890.00	\$ 933.25	1,000.00	1,000.00
4. Supervising Principal	750.00	750.00	.....	.....
	1,711.69	1,711.50	8,000.00	8,260.00
Instruction				
5. Teachers' Salaries	92,012.90	96,886.25	107,050.00	117,000.00
6. Textbooks (Grades 1/8)	662.19	748.58	1,200.00	1,000.00
7. Instructional Supplies (grades 1/12)	1,653.52	2,120.18	2,702.00	3,000.00
8. Library Books (Grades 1/12)	208.11	342.08	400.00	750.00
9. Other Instructional Costs	176.23	242.76	221.00	200.00
	94,712.95	100,339.85	111,573.00	121,950.00
Operation of Plant				
10. Salaries: Janitor & Helper	4,155.55	4,106.25	4,700.00	4,700.00
11. Janitor's Supplies	646.10	661.92	700.00	700.00
12. Fuel	4,342.42	6,509.89	5,500.00	5,500.00
13. Utilities: Light, Power, Water	1,565.23	1,251.45	1,500.00	1,500.00
14. Other Expenses: Telephone, etc.	364.20	379.07	400.00	400.00
	11,073.50	12,908.58	12,800.00	12,800.00

Maintenance

15. Repairs & Upkeep	\$10,622.64	\$5,076.48	\$3,500.00	\$3,500.00
16. Furniture, Equipment	298.00	200.20	1,500.00	300.00
17. Other Maintenance Costs

	10,920.64	5,276.68	5,000.00	3,800.00
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Fixed Charges

18. Insurance	70.68	1,010.25	180.00	180.00
19. Other Fixed Charges

	70.68	1,010.25	180.00	180.00
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Auxiliary Agencies & Co-Ordinate Activities

20. Health, Medical
21. Transportation	2,060.48	1,987.92	2,000.00	2,000.00
22. Truant Officer: Census	223.08	231.86	225.00	250.00
23. Other Auxiliary Agencies	209.21	293.09	290.00	300.00
24. N. H.-Vt. Hospitalization (Transfer)	763.98	619.74	1,000.00	1,000.00
25. Social Security	202.71	203.80	3,840.00	4,100.00
26. Special Education	485.00	261.94	.....	260.00
27. Safety Patrol	523.50	493.00	500.00	500.00
28. Driver Education	782.11	741.96	800.00	800.00
29. Guidance Services, Tests, Supplies	93.15	189.21	200.00	500.00
30. Music	703.48	137.50	800.00	800.00
31. Art	868.00	766.50	900.00	1,710.00

	6,915.12	5,926.52	10,555.00	12,220.00
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Debt Service

32. Interest on Loans	333.48	97.26	100.00	300.00
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TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	125,738.16	127,270.64	148,208.00	159,510.00
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33. Loans Repaid	30,000.00	30,000.00	30,000.00	30,000.00
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TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$155,738.16	\$157,270.64	\$178,208.00	\$189,510.00
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	1962/63 Actual	1963/4 Actual	1964-1965 Revised Est.	1965-1966 Proposed
Receipts:				
1. State Aid, Average Daily Membership	\$25,336.49	\$25,369.59	\$25,370.00	\$22,833.00
2. State Aid, Buildings	.....	1,126.21	.....	.....
3. From National Defense Educ. Act	39.28	.....	.....	300.00
4. From State Supported Vocational Course	200.00	200.00	200.00	200.00
5. From Elementary Tuition	755.00	755.00	880.00	900.00
6. From High School Tuition	10,357.68	29,038.50	20,324.00	21,500.00
7. N. H.-Vt. Hospitalization (Transfer)	584.84	619.74	1,000.00	1,000.00
8. Prize Speaking	46.00	42.50	30.00	30.00
9. From Non-Revenue Receipts	144.81	.....	.....	.....
10. Transportation	153.00	66.50	66.50	125.00
11. Tax Anticipation Loans	40,000.00	10,000.00	30,000.00	30,000.00
12. Cash Balance, July 1, start of school year		14,136.57	4,644.00	**4,973.50
13. From Local Taxation	91,043.88	80,675.61	92,720.00	115,000.00
TOTAL ALL RECEIPTS	\$168,660.98	\$161,830.22	\$173,234.50	\$191,888.50
			Less Deficit	4,973.50
**Deficit Figure				\$186,915.00
		Anticipated deficit 6/30/66		2,595.00

UNCOLLECTED TAXES YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1964

Name	1959	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964
Brown, Andrew			\$11.48	\$12.68	\$1.79	\$12.09
Brown, Walter & Hazel					21.73	22.65
Brown, Chester						74.04
Bathalon, Albert						301.11
Bania, Theresa (paid in Rutland)						12.79
Blair, Edward B.					11.79	12.09
Blair, Lillian					11.79	12.09
Brytowski, Zygmund	10.73	11.35		14.08	13.88	14.19
Brytowski, Marion			11.48			14.19
Brytowski, Vincent			11.48	14.08		14.19
Brytowski, Vincent & Others						110.22
Cendrowski, Louis					11.79	12.09
Cendrowski, Josephine					11.79	12.09
Chapman, J. H. Estate						4.96
Clark, C. B.				12.68		
Clark, Hilda				12.68		
Clodgo, Harold						12.79
Clodgo, Theodore						12.79
Clodgo, Victor					12.49	
Corliss, Brian						12.79
Davis, Albert				12.08		
Daley, Joan (under age)						12.79
Duprey, Raymond						12.09
Duprey, Elsie						12.09
Dwyer, Thomas Estate		1.75	1.77	1.92	2.25	2.34
Dydo, Frances				12.08	11.79	12.09
Dydo, Catherine						12.09
Dydo, Anthony & Catherine				4.25	4.07	74.39
Fredette, Arlene	11.33	11.95	12.08	12.68	12.49	
Garbarcz, Edward						12.79
Gibbs, D. C.				12.68		12.79

UNCOLLECTED TAXES -- Continued

Name	1959	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964
Gibbs, Gordon L.....	12.68	.....	.....
Gibbs, Sarah J.....	12.68	.....	.....
Gilfeather, William.....	12.49	12.79
Graham, James.....	14.08	13.88	.....
Grandchamps, Norbert.....	11.79	12.09
Grandchamps, Rose.....	12.09
Gray, Harry, Jr.....	12.79
Hennessey, Louis P.....	12.79
Hewitt, Edgar J.....	13.88	.....
Hewitt, Judith.....	13.88	.....
Hewitt, Edgar, Jr.....	14.19
Hewitt, Josephine.....	14.19
Hewitt, Janet (not of age until May)...	14.19
Hier, Gerald.....	12.68	.....	.....
Jarrosiak, Philip.....	12.79
Jarrosiak, Sandra.....	12.79
Jones, Griffith.....	12.49	12.79
Jones, Joy Ann.....	12.49	12.79
Knapp, Floyd.....	12.79
Kasmider, Helen.....	11.95	.....	.....	.....	.....
Knapp, Glydia.....	12.79
Knox, Carl F.....	12.49	7.79
Knox, Collett B.....	12.49	.....
LaPlaca, Jos. Jr.....	11.33	.....	.....	.....	12.49	.....
Lever, Judith.....	12.79
Macri, Patsy.....	44.94	.....
Marchinkowski, Elizabeth.....	7.98	13.88	14.19
Marchinkowski, Frank.....	13.88	14.19
Miller, Fred & Helen.....	54.32	126.90
McLaughlin, Donald.....	12.68	12.49	12.79
McLaughlin, Rose.....	12.68	12.49	12.79

Niernartowicz, Leone.....	\$11.95	\$11.48	.....	\$11.79	\$12.79	
Nienartowicz, Stanley.....			\$12.68	.....	.....
O'Leary, Mrs. Mary.....			12.08	.....	.....
Oathouse, Charles.....			.....	.....	12.09	
Pawlaczyk, Theodore.....			.....	12.49	.....
Parker, Elmer Estate.....			.....	.....	1.42	
Pelkey, Raymond.....			.....	12.49	8.79	
Ploof, Stanley.....			.....	12.49	.....
Ploof, Kathleen.....			.....	12.49	.....
Poczubut, Paul & Constance.....			.....	.....	163.49	
Podlaski, Walter.....			.....	13.88	.....
Radomski, Beatrice.....			.....	12.49	12.79	
Razanowski, Vincent.....			.....	12.49	.....
Rye, Benjamin.....			.....	12.49	.....
Rye, Helen.....			.....	12.49	.....
Sienicki, Stanley.....			12.68	12.49	.....
Sienicki, Louis & Mary.....			.....	112.35	116.35	
Slater, John L.....			.....	12.49	12.79	
Smith, Clayton.....			.....	12.49	.....
Smith, Mary.....			.....	12.49	.....
Star, Albert A.....			.....	12.49	12.09	
Tyrrell, Ralph.....			.....	.....	12.79	
Tyrell, Thelma.....			.....	.....	12.79	
Viglio, Jeremiah.....			12.68	.....	.....
Viglio, Kathaleen.....			12.68	.....	.....
Weatherby, Bert.....			.....	.....	12.79	
Wright, Louis.....			.....	.....	12.79	
TOTAL UNCOLLECTED.....	\$33.39	\$48.95	\$59.77	\$270.15	\$534.21	\$1,582.43

All Taxes become delinquent the day following due payment date.

Credit is given as payment received by Tax Collector after books closed.

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT
Year Ending December 31, 1964

Taxes Collected by Chas. Glidden	\$1,884.92
Taxes Collected by Gene Wasik	1,965.71
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	\$3,850.63

Paid to Treasurer	\$3,850.63
Less Paid to Fire	
Dist. Treasurer	188.98
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	\$3,661.65
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Collected and paid to Treasurer after closing accounts	\$487.00
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In hands of Collector Feb. 8, 1965	\$118.62
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ALL UNCOLLECTED TAXES are subject to 6% interest from date they become delinquent.

WEST RUTLAND PUBLIC LIBRARY

The Thirty-Sixth Annual Report of the West Rutland Public Library -- Year Ending Dec. 31st., 1964

BOOKS—

In the library January 1st, 1964	8,016
Number of books acquired during the year	259
Number of books discarded	154
Number of books in the library Jan. 1st, 1965	8,121

CIRCULATION OF BOOKS AND PERIODICALS

Adult	8,995
Juvenile	9,004
Total	17,999
Increase in circulation over 1963	3,513
Largest daily circulation	145
Smallest daily circulation	22
Average daily circulation	71
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Number of registrations	124
Number of days open	254
Number of periodicals subscribed to	20
Number of daily newspapers	1
Number of books borrowed from State bookwagon	790

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The community rooms were used 97 times during the year by various clubs, organizations and private parties.

CLARA B. WEINREBER, Librarian

1965 WHITE PINE BLISTER RUST REPORT

A scouting survey has been made and it is suggested that the Town of West Rutland vote to appropriate the sum of \$200.00 to be used along with State and Federal funds in controlling the spread of White Pine Blister Rust.

A survey of the pine stands in your town, both natural and planted, was done last Fall and Blister Rust was found to be general in all lots checked and heavy in areas that include Clark Hill and the Castleton River Valley east toward the Proctor Town line.

This work should be done sometime during the Summer of 1965 but as it is a co-op program between the Town, State and Federal Governments, we can do nothing without your help.

WHITE PINE DATA RUTLAND COUNTY
WEST RUTLAND, VERMONT

725 Acres of White Pine Acres of Control Area 2597

Submitted by JOHN BARROWS

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Vermont Dept. of Forests and Parks

WEST RUTLAND FREE LIBRARY CORPORATION
West Rutland, Vermont
For Year 1964

Receipts:

Cash on Hand, December 31, 1963		\$ 932.24
Fletcher Proctor Fund	\$2,000.00	
Town of West Rutland	3,456.25	
Fines	54.00	
Rent	92.50	
Sale of Books	48.22	5,650.97
TOTAL RECEIPTS		<u><u>\$6,583.21</u></u>

Expenses:

Wages	\$2,132.00
K. Sargeant	605.55
Fuel	672.82
Lights	165.00
Payroll Taxes	76.08
Insurance	235.56
Water Rent	32.30
Safety Deposit Box	3.30
Service Charge—Checking Account	9.10
Supplies	73.08
Miscellaneous, Postage, Dishes	135.10
Books	611.73
Magazines	87.70
Rutland Herald	18.00
Repairs	29.00

TOTAL EXPENSES	\$4,886.32
CASH ON HAND, December 31, 1964	1,696.89
	<u><u>\$6,583.21</u></u>

Report To Taxpayers

WEST RUTLAND FIRE DISTRICT #1

The Prudential Committee of the Fire District No. 1, West Rutland, Vermont, wishes to report on the management and operations of said district.

Committee reports that timber sale contract has been awarded on the West Rutland Municipal Forest (Fire District land). Marking for the sale was done by the Vermont Department of Forests and Parks on the individual tree selection basis designed to harvest mature timber and improve watershed values. Another sale is contemplated for the winter of 1965.

Also, thirteen (13) new water services have been connected to the system. This will be an increase of income of about \$260 from water rents.

The Pump House and the Chlorinator House have been painted for the first time since their erection. They were painted inside and out. The cost was \$257 for paint and labor.

The reservoir was cleaned at a cost of \$2,810.

A four-wheel drive truck was purchased for the use of the water works superintendent and the firemen. The cost of the truck was \$1,200.

PROPOSALS:

There will be a census taken of all the water users this spring to bring everything up-to-date. This census will be taken by Mr. James McCarthy and Mr. Stanley Grabowski.

In the near future, there will be some tree cutting along the north bank of the reservoir to eliminate the leaf problem. Trees such as birch, maple, popple and others will be cut out, leaving only the evergreens.

Based on the present rate of operations and on nonrecurring expenditures, the tax rate can be cut from 70 cents to 60 cents.

Some of the nonrecurring expenditures are as follows:

Reduction in interest payment	\$ 157.50
Cleaning of reservoir	2,810.00
Repair of Fire truck	988.00
Painting of Pump and Chlorinator houses	257.00
Potter's Garage	120.00
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TOTAL	\$4,332.50
Plus new income from water rents	260.00
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	\$4,592.50

The \$14,000 one-year notes to Proctor Trust Company have been reduced to \$9,500. With the present rate of operations and no big repairs of any kind to the system, there can also be a substantial decrease in the present debt of \$9,500 in this year of 1965.

These reports were typed and mimeographed by the Commercial Department of West Rutland High School.

Respectfully submitted,

PRUDENTIAL COMMITTEE

WEST RUTLAND FIRE DISTRICT NO. 1
ORDERS DRAWN

December 1, 1963 through November 31, 1964

Proctor Trust, Notes and interest	\$13,497.71
R. C. Thrall, parts and service	64.71
Sharp Offset Co., printing	43.45
Auditing	65.00
Surpass Chemical supplies	120.00
Holmes System, supplies	39.60
Mohawk Airlines, head	157.95
Water Meter, supplies	60.85
Firemen's Salaries	1,500.00
Outside Fires	253.16
Salaries and Expenses, Prudential Committee—P. J. Phalen, A. W. Socinski, A. Budnicki, \$35.00, \$20.00 \$50.00	105.00
Salaries—J. Zawistowski, F. L. Mumford	30.00
Stanley Brzoza, salary	376.98
Red Network, 4	200.00
Legal Fees—Krempa, Marro	46.33
Melody Radio, repairs	6.00
Potters Garage service	120.52
Potters Garage, fire truck repairs	1,668.52
Rosen & Berger, pick-up truck payment	500.00
State of Vermont, 2 registrations	14.00
T. W. Dwyer, supplies	9.80
Mintzer Bros., supplies	108.00
Corcorans, supplies	12.49
Terry Bros., supplies	65.75
LeValley-McLeod, supplies	65.62
Sevigny's Pharmacy, supplies	66.23
C. V. P. S., power—Fish Avenue	1,318.93
C. V. P. S., power—Fire Station	49.75
Monroe Wholesales, supplies	686.94
N. E. T. & T., services	379.27
Town of Ira, taxes	112.50
Marcel Wallet, repairs	20.75
Town of West Rutland, road patching	331.42
Town of West Rutland, loan payment	1,136.99
Town of West Rutland, overadvancement of tax	190.35
Rutland Herald, advertising	8.00
Fuel Oil	508.22
A. Lebo, pole installation	4.00
Vt. Firefighters Assn., dues	30.00

Norton Paint Co., supplies	\$6.80
Town of Proctor, tapping	131.55
Insurance, Workmen's Compensation	148.00
Insurance—other	566.41
Refunds—Pratt Hall: A. W. Socinski, Rt. Rev. Cain	13.39
Wm. Carlson, labor	164.00
Jos. Skaza, labor: truck and backhoe \$2303, \$80.00, \$783.50—includes 2 weeks vacation pay	3,166.50
Lampheres, supplies	11.25
A. Werchenski, top soil	8.00
W. F. Kearney, repairs and services	127.00
J. Brytowski, labor	104.00
J. Czachor, gas and repairs	35.97
Wilk Bros., thawing pipes	15.00
Jos. Pollard, Inc., supplies	12.48
Geo. Caldwell & Co., supplies	36.26
Edw. Joy & Co., supplies	27.20
W. C. Landon & Co., supplies	148.70
Diamond Bleach Water Co.	65.00
M. Kenny, Post Master, supplies	54.70
Ed. Zagroba, labor	75.00
Traffic Services Trepanier-Pietryka	24.00
E. Fabian, compressor and blasting	353.75
S. E. Smith Co., services	20.75
Westinghouse Electric Co., supplies	32.95
Francis Cain, services	137.00
Murphy Office Supply Company, rental	2.50
D. Deane, supplies	30.57
Chas. Glodzick, sand boxes	34.00
L. Socinski, labor	109.50
A. Bania, labor	48.00
Stanley Grabowski, labor	195.00
Social Security	156.72
Reservoir—gravel	20.00
trucking	603.75
Cleaning—Supervision, Joseph Skaza	125.00
L. Fabian, dozer - shovel - loader	921.00
Backhoe, Joseph Skaza	89.25
Misc. Labor—other	1,052.22
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	\$32,847.96

WEST RUTLAND FIRE DISTRICT #1 FINANCIAL REPORT

Year Ending November 31, 1964

RECEIPTS

Cash on Hand December 1, 1963		\$ 512.54
Current Taxes	\$11,000.00	
Water Rents	11,869.62	
New Assessments	38.95	
Proctor Trust Co., loan	4,000.00	
Outside Fires	506.32	
Thawing Pipes	7.50	
Refund, W. C. Landon	4.57	
Misc. Materials and Labor	855.01	
David Deans, reimbursement, truck repairs	931.76	
Town of Clarendon, truck expense	4.15	
Sale of Siren	50.00	
Timber Sale, bond, etc.	2,800.00	
Delinquent Water Rents	423.73	32,491.61
		<u>\$33,004.15</u>

DISBURSEMENTS

Office Expense:		
Inc. Social Security and Refunds	\$ 658.03	
Salary Expense	576.98	
Pumping Expense	1,318.93	
Loans and Interest	14,634.70	
Insurance	714.41	
Reservoir and Chlorinator	2,876.22	
Fire Department and Fuel	4,351.60	
Town of Ira, taxes	112.50	
Tax Overpayment	190.35	
Equipment	500.00	
Distribution System—		
Materials, Service and Supplies	2,172.07	
Misc. Labor	4,742.17	
		<u>\$32,847.96</u>
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS		
Cash Balance December 1, 1964		<u>\$ 156.19</u>

OUTSTANDING LOANS

Proctor Trust Co.	1962	1963	1964
Serial Notes	\$15,000.00	\$13,500.00	\$12,000.00
1 Year Notes	14,000.00	14,000.00	12,000.00

NOTICE:—

After the closing of the books for 1964 \$2,388.00 was received from the selling of timber and this was applied to the 1 year notes and reducing them from \$14,000 to \$9,500.

 UNCOLLECTED WATER RENTS

1958	\$ 16.50
1963	114.00
1964	186.50
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	\$317.00
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RECORD OF VITAL STATISTICS -- 1964

BIRTHS

NAME OF CHILD	DATE OF BIRTH	PLACE OF BIRTH	FATHER'S NAME	MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME
Michael Joseph Amsden	Aug. 28	Proctor	Robert Amsden	Nancy Burrell
Alicia Marie Bartlett	Sept. 26	Rutland	Lucien Bartlett	Theresa Hyjek
Pamela Ann Bartlett	Feb. 25	Rutland	Maurice Bartlett	Barbara Porter
Tammy Ann Bates	Mar. 27	Rutland	Ronald Bates	Nancy Burns
Real Eugene Bergeron, Jr.	Sept. 1	Rutland	Real Bergeron, Sr.	Emma Deo
Pamela Joan Bishop	Dec. 10	Rutland	William Bishop	Joan Goodrich
David Allen Brown	Dec. 30	Proctor	Chester Brown	Judy Ransom
Noreen Anastasia Burns	Jan. 26	Rutland	Joseph Burns	Frances Kantorski
Patricia Frances Burns	June 18	Rutland	Francis Burns, Jr.	Barbara Domurot
Michele Ann Butterfield	Sept. 26	Rutland	William Butterfield	Helene Berube
Leann Carol Cassidy	Dec. 8	Proctor	Curtis Cassidy	Myrna Gesner
Nancy Jean Center	Jan. 6	Rutland	John Center, Jr.	Eva Cote
Maureen Ann Daley	July 5	Proctor	Henry Daley	Joan Booth
Lorena Anne Dumas	Sept. 4	Proctor	Frank Dumas	Ann Ethier
Elaine Louise Gardner	July 15	Rutland	Garfield Gardner	Mary Nolet
Patricia Lynn Garrapy	Sept. 30	Proctor	Commodore Garrapy	Carolyn Crouch
William Patrick Gilligan, Jr.	Jan. 10	Proctor	William Gilligan	Barbara Coderre
Doreen Ann Glodzik	Feb. 6	Rutland	Edward Glodzik	Josephine Ciemiega
Roger William Grandchamp	Aug. 4	Proctor	Norbert Grandchamp	Rose Brown
Catherine Lynn Harte	May 25	Proctor	Thomas Harte	Linda Benham
Lynne Marie Herbert	Aug. 18	Rutland	Robert Herbert	Rosemarie Harte

Michele Schuster Holden	Mar. 3	Proctor	Lawrence Holden	Hannelore Schuster
Thomas Arthur Hughes	Sept. 27	Rutland	Charles Hughes	Charlotte Cheney
Darlene Anne Janoski	Apr. 2	Rutland	Henry Janoski, Jr.	Sheila Nelson
Paul Joseph Jarrosiak	Apr. 2	Rutland	Philip Jarrosiak	Sandra Reilly
Laurie Jean Johnson	Sept. 2	Proctor	Lawrence Johnson	Jean Curtis
Arthur Warren Knox, Jr.	May 26	Rutland	Arthur Knox	Colette Bourassa
Carl Francis Knox, Jr.	Oct. 22	Rutland	Carl Knox, Sr.	Joanne Baker
Mary Marie LaRock	Aug. 13	Rutland	Stuart LaRock	Patricia Currier
Reed Bishop McCullough	May 18	Rutland	Harry McCullough	Barbara Bishop
Patrick William McLaughlin	Sept. 12	Proctor	Donald McLaughlin	Rose Hyjek
Ingrid Edeltraud Morgan	Oct. 6	Rutland	Richard Morgan	Erika Schudy
Shelley Ann Poljacik	June 27	Proctor	Samuel Poljacik	Josephine Wierzbicki
Sonya Sue Poljacik	Dec. 5	Proctor	Alexander Poljacik	Joan Murphy
Carrise Ann Razanouski	Mar. 23	Proctor	Vital Razanouski	Leona Wierzbicki
Joseph Vicent Razanouski, Jr.	Nov. 29	Rutland	Joseph Razanouski	Marlene Frasier
Kevin Douglas Shannon	June 9	Rutland	Louis Shannon	Atha Crain
Kathleen Ann Smith	Jan. 26	Rutland	Clayton Smith	Mary Hewitt
Susan Frances Smolinski	June 22	Proctor	Frank Smolinski, Jr.	Dolores Tumielewicz
Michael John St. Pierre	June 13	Proctor	Gaspard St. Pierre	Kathleen Davis
Steven Michael Tanner	Mar. 11	Proctor	Jack Tanner	Linda Breznick
Peter Albert James Wasik	Mar. 24	Rutland	Albert Eugene Wasik	Kathryn Aitchison
Frances Jean Razanouski	Nov. 3	Rutland	Vincent Razanouski	Shirley Burney

DEATHS — 1964

NAME	AGE	DATE OF DEATH	PLACE OF DEATH	RESIDENCE
Boleslaw Bagdziewicz	84	July 17	Rutland	West Rutland
Francis G. Burns	36	Jan. 30	Castleton	West Rutland
Caroline Canavan	57	Oct. 27	West Rutland	West Rutland
Paul B. Carlson	49	July 1	Rutland	West Rutland
Roch A. Choquette	68	June 23	Rutland	West Rutland
Thomas Connell	92	Dec. 19	West Rutland	West Rutland
Bessie J. Darling	77	Mar. 6	West Rutland	Pittsford
Arthur J. Deo	58	Aug. 16	West Rutland	West Rutland
Clara A. Dorr	87	July 2	West Rutland	West Rutland
Gordon P. Drexel	69	May 7	West Rutland	Rutland
William Frazier	75	Apr. 19	Rutland	West Rutland
Albert F. Gilliam	50	Apr. 26	Hartford	West Rutland
George S. Groonell	62	Apr. 4	Rutland	West Rutland
Thomas H. Hascall	68	Nov. 18	Rutland	West Rutland
Benedict A. Hyjek	47	Nov. 28	Rutland	West Rutland
Margaret J. Kearney	86	Dec. 7	West Rutland	West Rutland
Konstanty Korziuk	71	Apr. 3	Proctor	West Rutland
Adam Kurant	74	Apr. 10	West Rutland	West Rutland
Frank Kusina	83	Oct. 28	West Rutland	West Rutland
Mabel F. Mead	84	Apr. 19	West Rutland	West Rutland
Eva W. Miner	90	June 29	West Rutland	Wallingford

Michael Nicrazewski	71	Feb. 23	Rutland	West Rutland
Margaret A. O'Rourke	75	Apr. 3	West Rutland	West Rutland
Stanley Pawlaczyk	74	Nov. 10	Rutland	West Rutland
Harry Peterson	79	Jan. 22	West Rutland	Proctor
Nina M. Petty	57	Aug. 13	Rutland	West Rutland
Alice K. Rydzeski	70	July 1	West Rutland	West Rutland
Joseph S. Rydzewski	75	Feb. 17	West Rutland	West Rutland
Bertha A. Thomas	85	Dec. 6	West Rutland	Poultney
Jennie C. Tuohy	80	Dec. 15	West Rutland	West Rutland
John Wasik	73	Oct. 20	West Rutland	West Rutland
Lottie Wilczynski	72	Mar. 20	West Rutland	West Rutland
Dona Wood	82	Sept. 16	Rutland	West Rutland

MARRIAGES

NAME OF GROOM	RESIDENCE	NAME OF BRIDE	RESIDENCE	PLACE OF MARRIAGE
James R. Conant	Rutland	Mary J. Cheney	West Rutland	West Rutland
Richard C. Dodds, Jr.	West Rutland	Colleen M. Slattery	Rutland	Rutland
Bertram Edison	West Rutland	Florence Cohen	West Rutland	Rutland
Richard A. Ellis	Rutland	Linda J. Benoit	West Rutland	West Rutland
Rolland J. Euber	Rutland	Virginia L. Bruce	West Rutland	West Rutland
Henry J. Fabian	West Rutland	Sophie V. Gola	West Rutland	West Rutland
Theodore Goodell	Rutland	Josephine Hewitt	West Rutland	West Rutland
Richard F. Guertin	West Rutland	Barbara A. Fucci	Rutland	Rutland
Garold T. Hyzer, Jr.	Cambridge, Mass.	Sandra A. Sherowski	West Rutland	West Rutland
Kenneth F. Jepson, Jr.	Castleton	Patricia J. Amsden	West Rutland	West Rutland
Daniel W. Keys	Palmetto, Florida	Susanne L. Bliven	Bradford, R. I.	Ira
Thomas J. Listzwan	West Rutland	Lea Mae Manor	Rutland	Richmond
Roger L. Menard	Rutland	Janet M. Revenna	West Rutland	Castleton
Robert C. Nilson	Center Harbor, N.H.	Maureen S. McCormack	Portland, Conn.	West Rutland
Lawrence F. Rowe	Danby	Joan F. McDevitt	West Rutland	West Rutland
Joseph J. Salengo	West Rutland	Teresa I. Lanthier	West Rutland	West Rutland
Joseph J. Strzelec	West Rutland	Eva M. King	Rutland	Rutland
Irving T. Taylor	Balston Lake, N. Y.	Helen M. Salengo	West Rutland	West Rutland
Stanley E. Van Buren	Poultney	Nancy A. Fredette	West Rutland	Poultney
Ralph Weinreber	West Rutland	Donna J. Schollar	West Rutland	West Rutland
Alfred N. Wetherby	West Rutland	Anne E. McDevitt	West Rutland	West Rutland

SUMMARY OF VITAL STATISTICS FOR 1964

Births	43
Deaths	33
Marriages	21